Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—No, not when they came to Bangalore.

Sri S. SRINIVASA IYENGAR.—When they visited Bellary for a second time, did any of the Ministers of the Government interview the Members of the Commission in connection with the Thungabhadra Project ?

Sri Kadidal MANJAPPA.—On a point of order, Sir. I beg leave to draw the attention of the Chair to item (n) of sub-rule 2 of Rule 26:

> "It shall not repeat in substance questions which have been disallowed or in respect of which answers have been furnished at the preceding Session."

Mr. SPEAKER.—I have therefore asked him to put fresh questions.

Sri S. SRINIVASA IYENGAR.—This question was not disallowed, Sir. It might have been answered, but the proceedings are not before us. Purely by memory we have to say whether the questions have been answered or not. I am working under a disadvantage.

Mr. SPEAKER.—The Chair knows it.

Sri M. PALANIYAPPAN.—Sir, questions are given sufficiently in advance some 15 days in advance. There are similar questions with similar answers. It would greatly facilitate if all similar questions dealing with the same subject matter are collected together and answers furnished, Sir, on the same day.

Mr. SPEAKER.—We shall do that next time.

Q.—354. Sri K. S. VASAN (Kolar Gold Fields).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) if they made any representation to the States Re-organisation Commission ;

(*b*) if they would make a copy of such representation available to the members of this House ?

A.—Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO (Minister for Law and Education) [On behalf of SRI K. HANUMANTHAIYA (Chief Minister)].—

(*a*) No.

(*b*) Does not arise.

Sri K. S. VASAN.—Did the Government make any representation to this Commission ?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—That has been answered. We have not taken that stand at all.

Investment of Government Share Capital on Central Factories.

Q.—187. Sri G. SIVAPPA (Holalkere).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the amount of share capital they have invested on the Machine Tools Factory, Bangalore ; Hindustan Aircraft, Ltd., Bangalore ; and Indian Telephone Factory, Bangalore ;

(*b*) how the interest of Government is safeguarded in these factories ?

A.—Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO (Minister for Law and Education) [On behalf of Sri K. HANUMANTHAIYA (Chief Minister)].—

(*a*) The Machine Tool Factory ... Nil
The Hindustan Aircraft, Ltd....Rs. 60,08,300.
The Indian Telephone Industries, Ltd. Rs. 31,25,000.

(*b*) There is a Government Director on the Board of Directorate of each of the above Companies, *viz.*, the Hindustan Aircraft, Ltd., and the Indian Telephone Industries, Ltd.

Sri G. SIVAPPA.—What is the dividend you are getting from these two factories, Sir ? What is it that you got last year ?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—No dividend was got last year.

Sri G. SIVAPPA.—Are you not getting any profit for the amount that you have invested, Sir ?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—I may state that once, a few years ago, we got 12 lakhs of rupees and then

subsequently bonus shares to the value of 1½ lakhs. Since then no dividend has been received.

Sri G. SIVAPPA.—Shall I understand that the companies are not earning any profit and that they are working under loss ?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—That inference is not correct. They have been earning profits, but the dividend has not been declared.

Sri G. SIVAPPA.—May I know who is managing these concerns, whether it is the Central Government or the State Government ?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—There is a Committee of Management in which Mysore Government is represented.

Sri G. SIVAPPA.—Whether the supervisory control is vested in the Central Government or the State Government ?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—It is under the control of the Central Government and the Managing Committee manages the whole thing.

Sri G. SIVAPPA.—How do you communicate the views of Mysore to the Management ?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—The views of the Government of Mysore will be conveyed through the representative who is there.

Sri G. SIVAPPA.—What are the facilities that the State Government has extended to the company in our State, Sir ?

Mr. SPEAKER.—That question does not arise out of this question.

Sri G. SIVAPPA.—By whom are appointments made in these companies ?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—It is the Managements who manage the whole thing including recruitment of necessary staff, labour, etc.

Sri G. SIVAPPA.—What is the percentage of Mysorean representation in these factories ?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—I do not think they are making any territorial classification in these appointments ?

Sri G. SIVAPPA.—Is it not desirable for the Mysore Government to insist upon these Managements to see that proper representation is given in view of the fact that you have extended a number of facilities to these factories in Mysore ?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—That would be a matter of opinion.

Sri V. M. MASCARENHAS.—Is there a proposal to take over these shares and relieve Mysore Government of all responsibility ?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—That would be the easiest thing. But the fact is whether, in a national industry, the State should not have a proper place.

ಶ್ರೀ ಬಿ. ಹುಚ್ಚೇಗೌಡ.—ಕೇಂದ್ರ ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರಿಗೆ ಮುಖ್ಯವಾಗಿ ಇದರಲ್ಲಿ interest ಇದೆ ಎಂದು ಹೇಳಲಾಯಿತು. ಟೆಲಿಫೋನ್ ಇಂಡಸ್ಟ್ರೀ ಮತ್ತು ಏರೋಪ್ಲೇನ್ ಫ್ಯಾಕ್ಟರಿ ಡಿಫೆನ್ಸ್ ಸರ್ವಿಸಸ್‌ಗಾಗಿ ಪ್ರಾರಂಭವಾದವು. ಆದ್ದರಿಂದ ಇದರಲ್ಲಿ ಹಾಕಿರುವ ದುಡ್ಡನ್ನು ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರು ತೆಗೆದು ಬೇರೆ ಕೆಲಸಕ್ಕೆ ಉಪಯೋಗಿಸುವುದು ಒಳ್ಳೆಯದಲ್ಲವೇ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಎ. ಜಿ. ರಾಮಚಂದ್ರರಾವ್.—ಅದಕ್ಕೆ ಜವಾಬು ಹೇಳಿದ್ದೇನೆ. ವಾಪಸು ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಳ್ಳುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಕಷ್ಟವಾಗುವುದಿಲ್ಲ. ಇದು National Concern. ಇದು ನಮ್ಮ ಸಂಸ್ಥಾನದಲ್ಲಿ ಇರುವಾಗ ನಮಗೆ ಇದರಲ್ಲಿ ಒಂದು ಸ್ಥಾನ ಇರಬೇಕೇ ಬೇಡವೇ ಎಂಬ ಒಂದು ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆ ಇದೆ. ಅದನ್ನು ಯೋಚನೆ ಮಾಡೋಣ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಬಿ. ಹುಚ್ಚೇಗೌಡ.—ನಮ್ಮ ಸಂಸ್ಥಾನವೂ ಇಂಡಿಯಾ ದೇಶದಲ್ಲೇ ಇರುವುದರಿಂದ ಅದರಲ್ಲಿ ನಮ್ಮ ಭಾಗವೂ ಇದ್ದೇ ಇರುತ್ತದೆ, ಅಲ್ಲವೇ ?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—That is a matter of opinion.

Non-Gazetted Officers in the Secretariat (Delay in Confirmation).

Q.—239. Sri D. VENKATESH (Gandhinagar).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether it has come to their notice that confirmation of Non-Gazetted Officers is not being made regularly in the Mysore Government Secretariat;

(*b*) the strength of the Non-Gazetted staff (permanent and temporary to be given separately) in the Secretariat;

(*c*) the number of vacancies available for confirmation of officials in each cadre and the dates of occurrence of such vacancies, particulars in respect of each post in all the grades to be given in the Secretariat;